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TELEPHONE NO. 30.

Local and Personal News.

Tomorrow is the Grand Rally day for the schools of Ripley county.

Mrs. E. E. Burton is at home from a visit to her folks at Benton, coming in yesterday.

Morg Woodring, merchant and mill man of Harding, was here the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Ben Martin has gone to her old home in Kentucky on a visit, leaving last Monday, before going to her new home at Kensett.

An elocutionary contest for a medal will be given at the Courthouse next Monday night, 21st instant, by the members of the L. T. L. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mrs. Mitt Hudson, formerly Miss Grace Burlison, died at Kensett, Arkansas, last week, being the first one of the Doniphan colony in that country to depart this life.

S. S. Penrod, Frisco station agent at Naylor, came up yesterday and visited lady friends in this city during the evening. He intends leaving shortly for Nebraska where he will locate.

The latest information from Charlie Danner, who is at a hospital in St. Louis, where he was operated upon for appendicitis, is that he is getting along just as well as a patient possibly can.

Uncle Joe Miller, and old time and well known citizen of Pine township, died on the 7th instant. Mr. Miller had a large circle of friends who admired him for his sterling qualities and good citizenship. He was born in January, 1838, and was 68 years of age at his death.

The boys that have been up in Court during the past few years, on numerous occasions, charged with illegally selling liquor, went before Judge Sheppard last Monday and voluntarily signed an affidavit not to again sell, aid or abet in the sale of liquor in any way or manner. Good for the boys.

J. K. Langford has completed the enumeration of the Doniphan school district and finds there are 592 persons of scholastic age in the district. Of this number 288 are males and 304 are females, making 16 more girls than boys, and showing a falling off of 84 from the enumeration of last year, which has been mostly caused by the mill men going to Kensett.

Station Agent Symon having been indisposed for some days past, a relief agent from up the main line, S. W. Blick, came last Saturday and took charge of the local office, being checked into the office yesterday by traveling auditor Van, for this division. Mr. Symon is getting some better but it will be some time before he goes to work again, for now that he has the opportunity he intends taking a rest.

The high school boys that went from here to attend the first meeting of the Southeast Missouri Athletic Association, came home Sunday and brought with them five prizes as follows: Harry Cude, running broad jump, 18 feet 7 1/2 inches, gold medal; Andrew Henderson, putting 12 pound hammer, 86 feet 9 1/2 inches, gold medal; Harry Cude, putting 12 pound hammer, 82 feet 5 inches, silver medal, these being the two best puts of the hammer; Roderick Proctor, one mile run, time six minutes, silver medal, coming out only a scratch behind the man that won the gold medal, or first prize; Otto Harmon, 440 yards run, bronze medal. There were 42 prizes (medals) offered in all and the Doniphan boys were third in the number of medals won, and that is very good considering that but very little preliminary practice had been done by the boys. Bonne Terre, where the high school has a regular gymnasium, won the most of the prizes as their boys were all trained up. Jackson stood second. At the next meet the Doniphan high school will be there in force and the other schools must look out.

Squire John O'Neil left yesterday morning for New York City, where he goes to take steamer for a visit to his native home in Old Ireland. He goes to Carrick-on-Shannon, the County town of Leitrim county. Mr. O'Neil came to this country from Ireland at the age of 25 years and first located at Joliet, Illinois, where he got a job working on a railroad. After remaining there a year he went to Pennsylvania and located near Clarion, in Clarion county, that state, and remained there about eight or nine years, coming to Ripley County in 1893, with the Burns colony, and has since been a resident, being one of the best citizens of the county. At the time of his coming here from Iowa was the shipping point for this section of country. This will be his first visit back to the home of his nativity, the "old sod of Ireland," and he expects to have a pleasant and enjoyable trip, at least that is the wish of his many friends in this community. The river Shannon, on the banks of which he was born, is famed in song and story for its romantic beauty. He expects to be gone two or three months.

Uncle Charlie White is at home from Williamsville on a visit.

The new iron clad launch made a trial trip up the river one day this week.

Jas. Ferguson, a nephew of Ed Ferguson, is here from Uppleka, Mo., visiting his relatives.

Mrs. Frank Young and child are here from Fisher, Louisiana on a visit to Judge D. B. Young and family.

Rev. H. D. Maness is at DeCatur, Illinois, this week attending the general presbytery of the C. P. Church.

Mrs. Dade Ireland came in last evening on a visit to her parents and friends, from her home at Little Rock.

The "Red Devil" is again in action for the summer. It has the same speed and gets about over the river in grand style.

Will Malugen has been at Piedmont this week, being called there by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother, who was stricken with paralysis.

Ex-postmaster J. W. Presson came in last Friday on a visit to his folks and friends. He is now state agent for the Hammond Type Writer Co., with headquarters at Van Buren, Arkansas.

John Ward, of Gatewood, who was in St. Louis having a tumor removed, came back last Friday and is now here, being attended by Dr. S. A. Proctor, and he is rapidly recovering from the effects of the operation, which was successful.

Herman Borth and little daughter, Miss Mary, left for St. Louis Wednesday, where they want to meet another daughter, Miss Alice, who has been at Los Angeles, California, for her health, during the past fall and winter, and accompany her home.

Mrs. L. J. Sheppard has been quite poorly for the past two or three weeks, and at times her condition has been serious. She is suffering from bilious attack with symptoms of continued fever, and her age, in an illness of this nature, would be rather against her.

Strawberry Shipments.

The following shipments of strawberries have been made from this station since Monday of this week, by shipping agent L. Harris, of the Strawberry Growers Association:

Monday, May 14—	
J. R. Stevens.....	14 crates
M. F. Hudson.....	2 "
Levi Sipes.....	7 "
L. Harris.....	6 "
J. L. Stillwell.....	18 "
G. D. Stanton.....	4 "
M. Brock.....	2 "
W. O. Proctor.....	3 "
W. Crook.....	3 "
Total.....	69 crates.

Tuesday, May 15—	
W. Crook.....	17 crates
J. R. Stevens.....	2 "
Levi Sipes.....	7 "
Joe Foulk.....	2 "
L. Harris.....	5 "
Sherman Klenn.....	4 "
George French.....	2 "
H. G. Barton.....	10 "
M. Brock.....	2 "
G. D. Stanton.....	11 "
J. L. Stillwell.....	19 "
A. P. Russell.....	4 "
Total.....	86 crates.

Wednesday, May 16—	
J. R. Stevens.....	15 crates
M. F. Hudson.....	5 "
Geo. French.....	1 "
Joe Foulk.....	2 "
G. D. Stanton.....	3 "
Levi Sipes.....	3 "
D. B. Young.....	3 "
H. B. Quisenberry.....	2 "
H. G. Barton.....	4 "
A. P. Russell.....	3 "
Sherman Klenn.....	3 "
L. Harris.....	4 "
J. L. Stillwell.....	17 "
Total.....	65 crates.

Thursday, May 17—	
Crook & Wilkinson.....	4 crates
M. F. Hudson.....	4 "
Geo. French.....	3 "
D. H. Stanton.....	5 "
D. B. Young.....	1 "
M. Brock.....	3 "
Sherman Klenn.....	1 "
J. L. Stillwell.....	26 "
L. Harris.....	6 "
Total.....	63 crates.

Friday, May 18—	
J. R. Stevens.....	14 crates
D. R. Quisenberry.....	5 "
M. F. Hudson.....	9 "
H. B. Barton.....	3 "
Sherman Klenn.....	1 "
A. P. Russell.....	1 "
J. L. Stillwell.....	5 "
D. B. Young.....	1 "
L. Harris.....	8 "
Total.....	47 crates.

This makes a total number of crates shipped by Mr. Harris this week of 310, but this is not all that have been shipped as private buyers here bought many crates at the depot and shipped them home, or to friends away from here, traveling men having purchased a number in this way. The later varieties are just beginning to ripen and the biggest part of the crop is yet to be handled and the season will last for at least three weeks yet.

Besides these shipments every grower has sold large quantities of berries in the local market, some of them selling the biggest and of their kind, and only shipping what they had left. The shipments are made to all points, some of the consignments going south. Coming and Walnut, Ridge, Arkansas, have asked for berries this week, while many points in Illinois are asking consignments.

County Court Proceedings.

[Continued from last week.]

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9—THIRD DAY.

Court met pursuant to adjournment all the members being present, and the following business was transacted:

Following school fund loans were made:

W. W. Rose, \$75; funds of 25-1 east. J. D. Garner, \$100; capital school fund.

Allowances were made as follows:

W. C. S. Lackey, salary as county treasurer.....	\$ 100.00
Prospect News Printing Co., county printing.....	147.85
J. A. Thomas, mdee for poor....	5.00
M. H. Ward, lumber for county road.....	6.28
Frank Barnhart, same.....	1.00
Wm. M. Robinson, building culverts on county road.....	16.50
W. C. S. Lackey, money advanced to poor.....	15.00
Lee Bast, medical attention to poor.....	7.75
W. A. Bent, hauling for county I. L. Cates, carrying for pauper I. A. Pennington, coffin for pauper.....	8.00
R. J. McChristian, wood for poor person.....	1.00
John N. Lacks, mdee for county poor.....	39.60
Will Ed. Crook, temporary relief.....	10.00
Pearce & Lee Mer. Co., mdee for poor.....	16.10
Mortgage given county by Margaret E. Chinn for 40 acres land, in Varner township, ordered foreclosed.	
Court orders swamp land patent issued to W. T. Davis, assignee of Rebecca Lee, for land in sec. 35-22-4 east.	
Court thereupon adjourned until following morning at 8 o'clock.	

THURSDAY, MAY 10—FOURTH DAY.

Court met pursuant to adjournment all the members being present and the following business was transacted:

Allowances were made as follows:

Standard Printing Co., stationery for county.....	\$ 46.17
C. B. Howe, keeping pauper.....	16.55
Mrs. S. Neil, same.....	35.00
Geo. D. Brainard & Co., books and stationery for county.....	21.00
W. C. Mabrey, circuit clerk's fees.....	15.70
Doniphan Water Works—water for courthouse.....	12.50
R. C. Loran, janitors fees.....	32.00
W. L. Cooper, deputy road and bridge commissioner's fees.....	4.50
City of Doniphan Charity Board	50.00
Ripley County Bank, money advanced on asylum account.....	312.35

The new school district that was formed by School Commissioner's board of arbitration on 30th day of May, in favor of O. L. Merriman and others, is to be denominated and numbered as District No. 6, 23-1 east.

By order, the voting place in Harris township was changed from West Point school house to S. L. Osborn's store at Purman.

By order, the voting place in Union township was changed from Shrou's store to Liebig Postoffice.

Tax against J. D. Thurman, as guardian of Cennia Thurman, was released for the year 1906.

Road petitions were disposed of as follows:

Petition of J. H. Greer and others, Road Commissioner ordered to survey and report at next term.

Petition of J. J. Bradshaw and others, on report of Road Commissioner, same was ordered established.

Clerk was ordered to extend school tax on tax book for the year 1906, and the following rates were levied for the year 1906: County revenue, 50 cents on the \$100 valuation; state tax 17 cents on the \$100 valuation, or a total of 67 cents for all state and county purposes.

Show licenses for the year 1906 were ordered as follows: Circus \$50; other shows under canvass, \$30; theatrical and minstrel performances, \$10; educational shows, \$5.00.

Peddler's license were fixed as follows for the year 1906; in addition to the state tax as fixed by law, for each period of six months: If peddler travel on foot, \$3.00; if on horseback, \$10.00; if with wagon, \$20.00. License tax on billiard and pool tables: on billiard tables, \$20.00 for each 12 months. On all other tables \$5.00 for each 12 months.

Court adjourned until 8 o'clock following morning.

FRIDAY, MAY 11—FIFTH DAY.

Court met pursuant to adjournment all the members being present and the following business was transacted:

Allowances were made as follows:

W. W. Johnston, mdee for county.....	\$ 31.25
A. J. O'Neal, sheriff's fees.....	136.50
J. T. Slayton, janitor for courthouse.....	1.80
T. F. Lane, salary and fees as Prosecuting Attorney.....	129.00
T. F. Lane, attorney's fees in Ditch case.....	200.00
Pulliam & St. Clair road tools for county.....	75.30
Joe Davis, keeping pauper.....	40.00
John North, same.....	15.00
Wm. Clark, same.....	15.00
Mary Crow, same.....	15.00

The road petition of Rodney Rosebush and others was dismissed, on report of Road Commissioner, the expense of es-

tablishing being greater than the benefits to be derived.

Real overseers to fill vacancies were appointed as follows:

W. T. Foster, district No. 4.
 George Dawes, district No. 21.
 W. T. Miller, district No. 25.
 George Thompson, district No. 17.
 Court adjourned until 9 o'clock following morning.

SATURDAY, MAY 12—SIXTH DAY.

Court met pursuant to adjournment all the members being present and the following business was transacted:

Valuation on lot 10 in Russell's addition to Doniphan was reduced to \$750 for year 1906.

Petit jurors for the June term of Circuit court were drawn as follows: Current River township—E. S. Williams and Ben Taylor.

Doniphan—B. G. Barton, Sam Tate, John Sullivan, S. P. Odom and R. C. Quisenberry.

Gatewood—John Yarbough and C. A. Hyde.

Harris—Ollie Colburn and John Vandover.

Johnson—R. B. Rodgers.

Jordan—L. A. Payne.

Kelley—N. M. Randel and F. F. Hanners.

Pine—Jonathan Marlin and H. C. Stanley.

Sherley—J. H. McManus and E. F. O'Neal.

Thomas—Ed McChristian and Sylvester Vandivort.

Union—T. B. Nickelson and A. M. Davis.

Varner—H. C. Cooper.

Washington—George Dement.

The following school fund loans were made:

John Malone, \$100, capital school fund.

Geo. A. Plunk, \$100, capital school fund.

L. E. Wilcox, \$50, district No. 3, 24-3 east.

Allowances were made as follows:

Prospect News Printing Co., county printing.....	\$ 16.45
W. H. Stone, County clerk's fees.....	415.55
J. M. Weatherspoon, per diem and mileage as county judge.....	31.80
L. Harris, same.....	30.15
John A. Pulliam, same.....	30.00
W. H. Stone, for work on Board of Equalization record.....	74.25
T. L. Wright, balance on judgment against county, from road and bridge fund.....	431.01
T. J. Griffin, keeping pauper.....	12.00
W. H. Stone, express and postage.....	18.75
A. J. O'Neal, sheriff fees.....	12.00
W. C. Mabrey, Circuit Clerk, presented an abstract of fees for the quarter ending April 30, 1906, which was approved.	

W. H. Stone, County clerk, presented an abstract of fees for the quarter ending, April 30, 1906, which was approved.

Court thereupon adjourned until Thursday, May 23, 1906.

Will Martin made a business trip to Poplar Bluff Monday.

Miss Annie Wright is visiting relatives at the Bluff this week.

Don M. Robinson and family have returned to Doniphan, from Hoxie, and will become citizens of this city.

Dr. J. E. Anderson, of Ponder, was in town yesterday attending Justice Court as a witness in a land suit among heirs.

Miss Willie Capps is at home from a visit at Walnut Ridge and other points in Arkansas, where she has been visiting friends.

Geo. A. Neal was at Excelsior Springs this week attending the annual meeting of the State Bankers Association for the ensuing year.

Rev. A. S. Wilkinson came home last Tuesday from Chattanooga, Tennessee, where he had been attending a meeting of the Southern Baptist Association.

An informal meeting of a good number of Democrats was held at the court room Tuesday afternoon, citizens from several townships being in attendance and the proposition of organizing the county on the school district plan was discussed, and finally decided upon. W. C. S. Lackey was in the chair and Jim Morrison acted as secretary. The proposition was generally discussed and unqualifiedly endorsed, and a committee consisting of W. C. S. Lackey, W. C. Mabrey, W. H. Stone, J. W. Cotton, W. H. Roberson and J. P. Fulbright, was appointed to have charge of the matter of making a complete and careful poll of the voters of the county.

The County Central Committee was requested to issue a call for a meeting to be held at the court house next Thursday evening, May 24, for the purpose of organizing a Democratic club for Doniphan township, and the committee was also requested to invite speakers from abroad to be present and address the meeting, Hon. J. J. Russell, of Mississippi county, Democratic candidate for congress in this district and Hon. Ralph Wammack, of Stoddard county, being the speakers asked for by the meeting. An excellent spirit prevailed in the meeting.

LOST—1 black weaver. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to A. J. Russell & Co.'s store.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Week ending May 11 1906.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.
 Vacation time is coming.
 Examinations next week.
 And Doniphan will have an Athletic meet too.

Hon. Walter Williams May 26, '06.
 Hear him sure.

Dr. J. C. Morris preaches the Baccalaureate Sunday, May 27th.

The names of the pupils who won the \$108 in prize Scholarships will be announced Saturday May 19th.

The Doniphan Board of Education and High School extend a most cordial welcome to the Ripley County School Boards, patrons and graduates next Saturday.

A red letter day for Ripley County Schools, May 19, '06. Every friend of Education in Ripley county should hear the State Superintendent of Missouri at the Court House Saturday. Mr. Carrington is doing more for rural schools than any other Superintendent in the U. S.

The following representatives from the Doniphan High School attended the southeast Missouri Athletic Meet at Cape Girardeau